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Port Sanilac Harbor, MI

Harbor Features

- Located on the west shore of Lake Huron, about 30 miles north of Port Huron, MI.
- Authorization: River & Harbor Act of 2 Mar 1945.
- Shallow Draft recreational harbor.
- Project depth ranges between 6 - 12 feet.
- More than 2,500 feet of breakwaters.
- Dredged material is placed on the beach as beach nourishment.
- Harbor of Refuge
- Major stakeholders include Michigan DNR, Port Sanilac Marina, and various charter fishermen.

Project Needs

- Requires maintenance dredging on a two year cycle of approximately 15,000 to 20,000 cubic yards.
- Navigation structures are primarily maintained by Government floating plant.



Consequences of Not Maintaining the Project

- Loss of jobs locally.
- Loss of recreational and charter fishing in the area.

Transportation Importance

- This project serves as an important Harbor of Refuge as well as charter fishing and recreational navigation interests.
- The local community has established a significant infrastructure around the harbor facilities that generates income from harbor users and visitors to the area.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Fiscal Year (FY) 2007, 2008 and 2009 Port Sanilac Harbor, MI - Project Needs and President's Budget (\$1,000)

Work Package	FY07 Need	FY07 Work Plan	FY08 Need	FY08 Budget	FY09 Need	FY09 Budget*
Project Condition Surveys	10	0	10	0	15	
Maintenance Dredging – Primary Work Package	140	0	140	0	150	
Section 111: Re-evaluation					30	
TOTALS	150	0	150	0	195	

* FY09 President's Budget will be available in February 2008